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SUBJ: ARMY PAPER DOUBTS OTHER SIDE FREE TO TALK

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1. THE ARMY DAILY RUOM KAMLAING DOUBTS THAT THE OTHER SIDE IS REALLY FREE TO NEGOTIATE. IN A JULY 12 EDITORIAL THE PAPER DIVIDED THE INSURGENTS INTO AN ARMED SEGMENT USED BY THE VC/NVA TO CAMOUFLAGE THEIR AGGRESSION AND AN INTELLECTUAL SEGMENT USED BY THE CHINESE TO BUILD CELLS FOR THE KHMER COMMUNIST PARTY. THE ARMED SEGMENT OWES OBEDIENCE TO THE VIETNAMESE BECAUSE THEY RECEIVE WEAPONS AND SUPPLIES FROM THEM; MOREOVER, THEY FEAR THE VC/NVA WILL SHOOT THOSE WHO OPPOSE THEM, ACCORDING TO RUOM KAMLAING, THE INTELLECTUAL SEGMENT CHOOSES TO FOLLOW THE CHINESE, WHO ARE SEEN AS A COUNTERWEIGHT TO THE VIETNAMESE, AND THEREFORE FALL UNDER CHINESE INFLUENCE, IN THE UNCLASSIFIED

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DAILY'S VIEW.

2. NEITHER OF THESE GROUPS CAN COME FORTH AND BEGIN
NEGOTIATIONS, THE PAPER CONCLUDES, UNLESS THE NVA/VC
WITHDRAW FROM CAMBODIA AND CEASE THEIR INTERFERENCE
IN KHMER INTERNAL AFFAIRS.
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